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### SPIRANTHES OVALIS. NEW FOR KANSAS

While collecting in an oak-hickory woodland 2 miles north and  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile east of Baldwin City, Douglas County, Kansas, a specimen of *Spiranthes ovalis* Lindl. was taken on October 13, 1967 (*Johnson 1184*, KANU). The plant was associated with *Botrychium dissectum* Spreng. var. *obliquum* (Muhl.) Clute, *Corallorhiza odontorhiza* (Willd.) Nutt., and *Monotropa uniflora* L. This orchid has previously been reported from Florida to Texas, north to Virginia Kentucky, Indiana, and Missouri. In Missouri the species is known only from Mississippi, St. Louis, and Jackson Counties. My collection is an extension westward of the range of the species.

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